CITY OF SAN ANTONIO PURCHASING & GENERAL SERVICES DEPAREMENTO. CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMORANDUM CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMORANDU

TO:

Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Janie B. Cantu, Director of Purchasing & General Services

SUBJECT:

Integrated Video Systems

DATE:

April 21, 2005

SUMMARY & RECOMMENDATION

This ordinance authorizes the Purchasing & General Services Department to accept the low bid submitted by Tanseco Systems, a WBE, to provide the City of San Antonio Police Department with integrated video systems at various City facilities for a total of \$49,082.00. Staff recommends approval of this ordinance.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

A request for sealed bids was issued to purchase integrated video systems at various City facilities for the City of San Antonio Police Department. A total of five bids were received. The low responsive bid was submitted by Tanseco Systems, a WBE, for a total of \$49,082.00. This bid was advertised in the Daily Commercial Recorder, La Prensa, the San Antonio Observer, the City of San Antonio Purchasing Website, Public Access Channel 21 and Demandstar.com.

The San Antonio Police Department currently has implemented an on going process to the City's Security Plan established in 2003 by enhancing integrated video security systems at various City facilities. The enhanced physical security has been installed at the following locations: 1) 100 Military Plaza- City Hall 2) 111 Plaza de Armas 3) 114 W. Commerce – Municipal Plaza 4) 203 S. St. Mary's-International Center 5) 214 W. Nueva- Police Headquarters. The contract includes new cameras and power supplies, digital video recorders and 17 inch LCD flat panel monitors.

The enhanced physical security will include the following locations: 1) City Hall Annex-506 Dolorosa 2) Fire Department I.O. Martinez Administration Building -115 Auditorium Circle. This system will add closed circuit television coverage and provide real time monitoring and recording to these downtown buildings as outlined in the Municipal Facilities Security Plan developed by the Police Department.

This contract will provide the City of San Antonio Police Department with labor, materials and equipment for the installation of an integrated video system at various City facility locations. The price includes a three year manufacturers warranty on parts and a one year vendors warranty on labor. Additionally, this system is estimated to last approximately ten years.

POLICY ANALYSIS

In 2003, the City of San Antonio was issued a State Homeland Security Grant to improve the City's ability to respond to potential terrorist use of a Weapon of Mass Destruction. The integrated video systems are part of a specialized equipment list that was authorized by officials representing agencies such as the U.S. Department of Justice, the Public Health Service, and the U.S. Department of Energy. This list was derived to have equipment standardized and have the capability of interoperability within various municipalities.

FISCAL IMPACT

The total cost of this contract is \$49,082.00. Funding will be from the Grants in Aid Trust Fund – Homeland Security. All expenditures will be in accordance with the FY2004-2005 Budget approved by City Council.

COORDINATION

This item has been coordinated with the City of San Antonio Police Department.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The City of San Antonio Purchasing Department advertises bids in the Daily Commercial Recorder, La Prensa, The San Antonio Observer, and the San Antonio Express-News. This office also advertises bids on Public Access Channel 21, the Purchasing Website and utilizes the services of Demandstar.com to notify registered vendors of City bids.

This contract was developed utilizing the formal competitive bid process; therefore, an Ethics Disclosure Form is not required.

Janie B. Cantu, C.P.M., Director Furchasing & General Services

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City of San Antonio Bid Tabulation

Opened: March 21, 2005	Tanseco Systems	Chubb Security	Internal Control Systems	, ,	Sterling Security Systems, Inc.
For: Integrated Video Systems At Various City Facilities	10715 Gulfdale #204	2566 Bitters Rd.	121 Interpark Blvd. #502	,	1716 S. San Marcos #120
05-061 JH	San Antonio	San Antonio	San Antonio	Austin	San Antonio
	TX 78216	TX 78217	TX 78216	TX 78757	TX 78207
Description					
Integrated Video Systems At Various City Facilities					
Price Total	\$49,082.00	\$78,453.00	\$67,569.76	\$55,121.98	\$50,640.00
Terms	Net 30	Net 30	Net 30	Net 30	Net 30
Total Awarded	\$49,082.00				